

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR US SF

SUBJ: VICE PRESIDENTIAL MEETING WITH VORSTER

REF: STATE 098316

1. I WAS NOT ABLE TO REACH PM VORSTER TONIGHT OR FONMIN BOTHA WHO IS CAMPAIGNING IN WESTDENE. I PASSED MESSAGE CONTAINED REFTEL TO DFA SECRETARY BRAND FOURIE WHO PROMISED TO GET IT TO VORSTER AT FIRST AVAILABLE OPPORTUNITY.

2. FOURIE ASKED WHETHER THEY CAN BEGIN THEIR OWN ARRANGEMENTS (E.G. HOTEL RESERVATIONS, ETC.) IN VIENNA. I TOLD HIM THEY SHOULD DO NOTHING REPEAT NOTHING UNTIL THEY HEAR FROM ME. WOULD APPRECIATE BEING INFORMED WHEN SOUTH AFRICANS SHOULD START LOOKING INTO THEIR OWN ARRANGEMENTS.

3. REGARDING PRESS ANNOUNCEMENT FOURIE SAID WE CAN BE SURE THERE WILL BE NO RPT NO ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THIS END UNTIL TEXT OF OURS IS AVAILABLE AND TIMING AGREED.  
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